Amendments to the Claims:

The following Listing of Claims replaces all prior versions and listing of the claims in this application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A breathable material, comprising a low-elongation fabric layer exhibiting less than about 30% elongation as measured according to ASTM D5034 in at least one direction, and a microporous coating thereon, the microporous coating comprising a crystalline polymer composition and a filler.

2. (Original) A breathable material according to claim 1, wherein the low-elongation fabric layer comprises a low-elongation nonwoven layer.

3. (Original) A breathable material according to claim 2, wherein the low-elongation nonwoven layer comprises polyolefin cross-laminated open mesh.

4. (Original) A breathable material according to claim 3, wherein the low-elongation nonwoven layer comprises polyethylene cross-laminated open mesh having a basis weight of greater than about 0.7 oz/yd^2.

5. (Original) A breathable material according to claim 2, wherein the low-elongation nonwoven layer comprises spunbonded polypropylene.

6. (Original) A breathable material according to claim 5, wherein the spunbonded polypropylene has a basis weight of greater than about 0.7 oz/yd^2.

7. (Original) A breathable material according to claim 5, wherein the spunbonded polypropylene has a basis weight equal to or greater than about 1 oz/yd^2.

8. (Original) A breathable material according to claim 1, wherein the crystalline polymer composition comprises at least 50 weight percent of high density polyethylene.

9. (Original) A breathable material according to claim 1, wherein the filler comprises calcium carbonate.

10. (Original) A breathable material according to Claim 1, wherein the microporous coating comprises a single layer.

11. (Original) A breathable material according to Claim 1, wherein the microporous coating comprises two or more layers.

12. (Original) A breathable material according to claim 1, further comprising a second fabric layer, wherein the coating is arranged between the low-elongation fabric layer and the second fabric layer.

13. (Original) A breathable material according to claim 1, having a water vapor transmission rate of greater than about 150 g/m^2*24 hr.

14. (Original) A breathable material according to claim 13, having a water vapor transmission rate of less than about 2000 g/m^2*24 hr.

15. (Currently Amended) A breathable housewrap material, comprising a low-elongation fabric layer exhibiting less than about 30% elongation as measured according to ASTM D5034 in at least one direction, and a microporous coating comprising high density polyethylene and a filler thereon.

16. (Original) A breathable housewrap material according to claim 15, wherein the low-elongation fabric layer comprises a polyolefin nonwoven layer.

17. (Original) A breathable housewrap material according to claim 16, wherein the low-elongation polyolefin nonwoven layer comprises polyethylene cross-laminated open mesh having a basis weight of greater than about 0.7 oz/yd^2.

18. (Original) A breathable housewrap material according to claim 16, wherein the low-elongation polyolefin nonwoven layer comprises spunbonded polypropylene having a basis weight of greater than about 0.7 oz/yd^2.

19. (Withdrawn) A method of making the breathable material according to claim 1, comprising extrusion coating a low-elongation fabric layer with a composition comprising a crystalline polymer composition and a filler to form a coating on the low-elongation fabric layer, and incrementally stretching the coated low-elongation fabric layer to render the coating microporous.

20. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 19, wherein the low-elongation fabric layer comprises a low-elongation nonwoven layer, and wherein the coating is formed on the nonwoven layer.

21. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 20, wherein the coated nonwoven layer is incrementally stretched in the machine direction.

22. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 20, wherein the coated nonwoven layer is incrementally stretched to an elongation less than about 2%.

23. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 20, wherein the low-elongation nonwoven layer comprises polyethylene cross-laminated open mesh having a basis weight of greater than about 0.7 oz/yd^2.

24. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 20, wherein the low-elongation nonwoven layer comprises spunbonded polypropylene having a basis weight of greater than about 0.7 oz/yd^2.

25. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 19, wherein crystalline polymer composition comprises high density polyethylene.

26. (Previously Presented) A breathable material according to claim 1, wherein the low-elongation fabric layer comprises a low-elongation woven layer.

27. (Previously Presented) A breathable material according to claim 26, wherein the low-elongation woven layer is formed of polyethylene, polypropylene, or a combination thereof.

28. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 19, wherein the low-elongation fabric layer comprises a low-elongation woven layer.

29. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 28, wherein the low-elongation woven layer is formed of polyethylene, polypropylene, or a combination thereof.